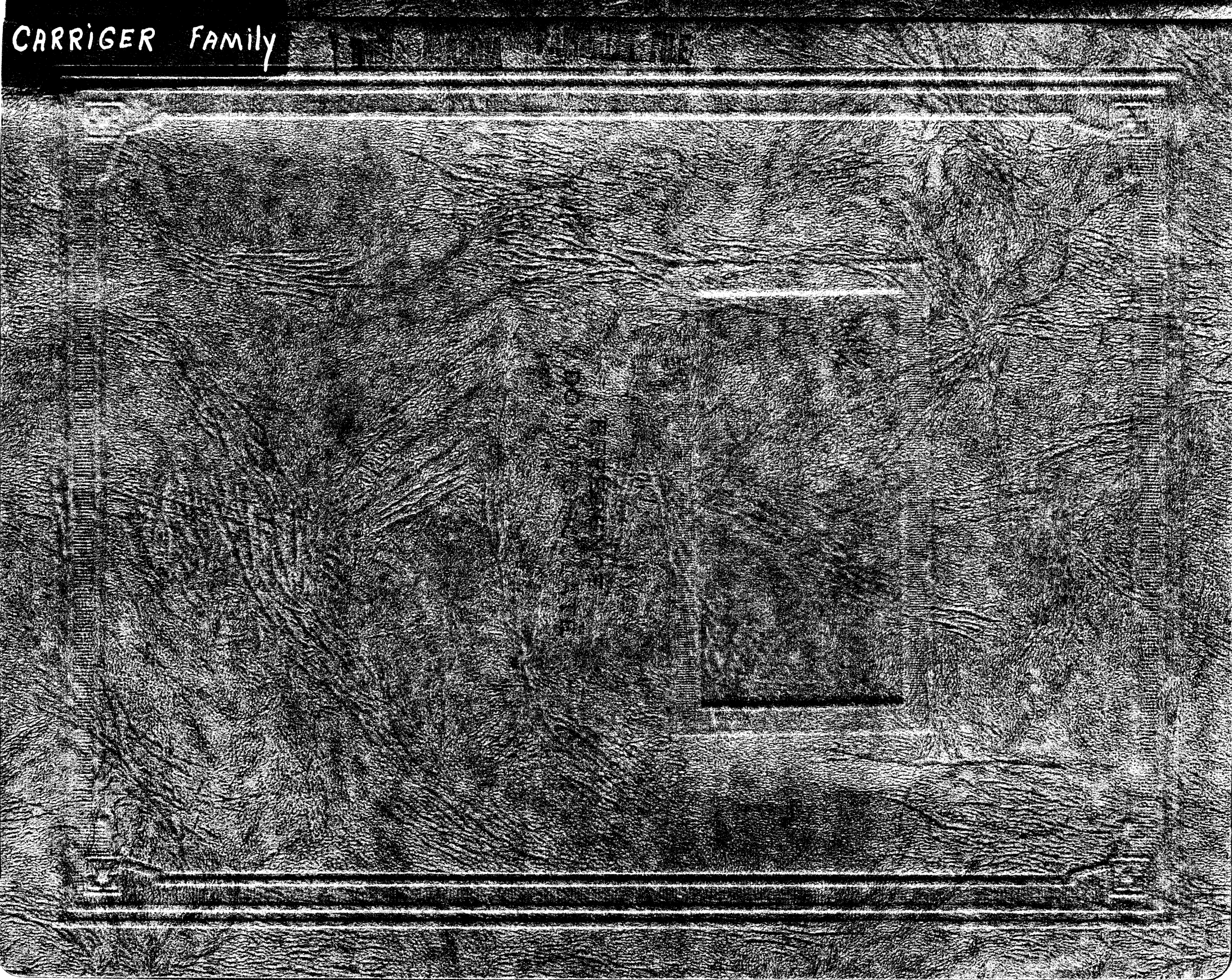


CARRIGER Family



REFERENCE  
DO NOT CIRCULATE

*s Carriger*

| NAME                       | ANCESTOR         | NAT'L NO. |
|----------------------------|------------------|-----------|
| Vaught, Elizabeth Carriger | Godfrey Carriger | 195549    |

I by the right of lineal descent in the following from Godfrey Carriger, Sen. who was born \_\_\_\_\_. Died \_\_\_\_\_ Married \_\_\_\_\_. His place of residence during the Rev. was Berks Co. Penn. & Watauga. I was born in Watauga Valley County of Carter.

1. I am the daughter of Jackson D. Carriger born Mch. 8, 1821 died Aug. 14, 1890 and his wife Edna Dugger Carriger born Apr. 9 1838 died Jan. 29, 1917.

2. The said Jackson D. Carriger was the child of Godfrey Carriger, Jun. born May 13, 1769 died May 6, 1827 and his wife Mrs. Elizabeth (Lovelace) Crawley died 2/27/1826 married 10/27/1803.

3. The said Godfrey Carriger, Jun. was the child of Godfrey Carriger, Sen. born 3/7/1732 died 10/8/1811 and his wife Margaret Hanchpaugh.

The said Godfrey Carriger, Sen. Alias Gotffried Kercher, is the ancestor who assisted in establishing American Independence, while acting in the capacity of Patriotic citizen.

ANCESTOR'S SERVICES

Certificate of land grant to Godfrey Carriger. Grant No. 749 for two thousand acres in Green Co. Tenn. Military Grant. Dated July 11, 1778, Sam Johnston, Clerk.

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1292 under Sketch of J.D. Carriger.

Godfrey Carriger, Sen. alias Gotffried Kercher, Gotgried Kerchen Carriger, Carder, bought land in 1760 and 1765 in Burnswick Township Berks County Penn. which land he sold March 10, 1780 and March 18, 1780. Burnswick Township is now in Schuylkill County instead of Berks Co. according to deeds given upon sale of said land. His wife's name was Margaret. After selling these lands he emigrated to what is now Carter County, Tennessee, and secured grants of land from the State of North Carolina and otherwise.

There are baptisms of record stating that Gotfried Kercher and wife Margaret were baptized in Red Zion Church of Burnswick Township Schuylkill County Formerly Berks County, Penn. and there are entries showing the baptisms of three of their children as follows: Mary Elizaneth, May 1771, sponsors Barnhardt Kindt and wife Anna Maria. John Heinrich, Jan. 1774. Sponsors Heinrich Adam and Anna Cath. Kittner. Christian July 1779 sponsors Wilhelm and Anna Margaretha Denber. Aug. 11, 1751 Gotfried Kercher was a sponsor in Mertz Church. See Pen. Historical Society records (Mrs. C.M.) Mary Owen Steinmetz Cor. Sec. Reading Penn.

All of the above is conclusive proof and evidence of his Patriotism to the cause of American Independence and Freedom.

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My Revolutionary ancestor was married to Margaret Hanchpaugh at Berks Co. Penn.

CHILDREN

|                        |               |                               |
|------------------------|---------------|-------------------------------|
| John Nicholas Carriger | Feb. 28, 1761 | Millard                       |
| John Micheal Carriger  | Apr. 26, 1764 | Elizabeth                     |
| John Leonhart Carriger | Jan. 3, 1766  | Worley<br>Killed during Rev.  |
| Godgrey Carriger       | May 13, 1769  | Mrs. Elizabeth                |
| Elizabeth Carriger     | May 12, 1771  | Lovelace Crawley<br>John Nave |
| John Henry Carriger    | Feb. 26, 1774 | Boon                          |
| John Carriger          | Feb. 24, 1777 | Margaret Elliott              |
| Christian Carriger     | July 28, 1779 | Levisa Ward                   |